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LTRPC2 Modulators*

Group No. 1646

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of February 23, 2004, Applicant submits the following Response. This response is being filed with a Petition for a one-month extension of time. Applicant believes that no fees are due in association with this paper. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any payments to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (Our Order No.: 469324-5 A-70040-1/RFT/THR).

Amendments to the claims are indicted in the **List of Claims** beginning on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.